

SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

H. H. GRANICE, EDITOR.
SONOMA, JAN. 17, 1891.

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PROSPERITY AHEAD.

The season up to the present time has been peculiarly favorable for the Sonoma Valley farmer. Rain has fallen at a time when most needed, and the precipitation having been very gentle and occurring for the most part at night has enabled our farmers to put in almost every day since the rainy season set in, since which time plowing, seeding, planting fruit trees, etc., has been going steadily on. The area already sown to hay and grain in Sonoma Valley is the largest in many years. A great many fruit trees and new resistant vineyards have also been set out, and by the 1st of February nearly every available acre of tillable land in the valley will have been put under a state of cultivation. The season promises to be a dry one in the southern counties and that means big crops and good prices for Sonoma Valley, as this section has never known a failure of crops on account of drought.

The principal products of this valley will be wine and table grapes, fruits of all kinds, hay and grain, vegetables and dairy products.

A few years ago the farmers of Sonoma Valley depended almost wholly upon the grape. Everybody engaged in vineyard work almost to the exclusion of everything else, with the result that when the wine market made a tumble a few years ago our farmers had scarcely any other product to fall back upon. The lesson has proved a wholesome one, however, and at the present time farming is pretty well diversified in Sonoma Valley. With the diversity of crops mentioned above the outlook for our farmers never looked brighter at this season of the year.

There are two great questions—the greatest in every nation—into which politics should never under any consideration be allowed to enter. They are our financial system and our foreign relations. Upon these two questions we should all rise above partisan politics and be patriotic Americans, standing shoulder to shoulder against the whole world, if necessary.

It is said that ex-President Cleveland and Senator Ingalls are cousins. If this be true it accounts for much of the bitter feeling existing between the two gentlemen. No hatred can approach that felt by near relatives who have quarrelled.

STANLEY, the African explorer, has discovered a good many things, but his dollars to doughnuts that he couldn't find the pocket in his wife's dress to save his soul. There are some things which no man can do.

Cancerous Eczema.

For many years I have been sorely afflicted with Eczema on my face. The eruption was in large patches, and Cancerous nature. I had treatment from a number of experienced physicians, with little or no benefit, and only of a temporary nature. After other treatments had failed I bought seven bottles of S. S. S. from Messrs. Tennille & Holland of Troy, Ala., and it cured me. I feel like a new man, my painful troubles and apprehensions are all gone, and now at sixty years of age I am once more restored to health, and it is due entirely to S. S. S. My Post Office is Orion, Pike county, Ala.

—HIRAM SHREATT.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 7, 1891.
The Board visited and inspected the County Farm.

THURSDAY, Jan. 8th.
February 3d was set as the time for final hearing on the petition of James Little for a private road in Vallejo road district.

The same order was made in the matter of the petition of Nancy J. Crane for a private road in Vallejo township.

The report of P. L. McGill, Road Overseer of Sonoma road district, was received and the accompanying bill in the sum of \$199.20 allowed.

The usual monthly bills were allowed, most of the money being dispensed to residents of Santa Rosa.

FRIDAY, Jan. 9th.
On motion of Mr. Mead the Sonoma Democrat was made the official organ of the county.

The contract for the burial of indigent dead was awarded to M. S. Davis for the ensuing year at the same rate as heretofore, \$12 each. The only other application was from P. Rodmond.

Applicants for appointment as County Physician were received from the present incumbent, Dr. M. Shearer, Dr. R. P. Smith, Dr. B. S. Young, Dr. N. Coffman, and on motion of Mr. Mead the Board proceeded to ballot, Mr. Cady and Mr. Mead acting as tellers.

The first ballot resulted: Dr. Young 2, Dr. Smith 2, Dr. Shearer 1. There was no change on the second ballot.

The third ballot resulted in the election of Dr. Young, the vote standing as follows: Dr. Young 3, Dr. Smith 1, Dr. Coffman 1. Applications for appointment as chief janitor of the court-house were received as follows: W. H. Hassett, A. N. Anderson, Herman Shierhold, Gil C. Jenkins, Wm. Bray.

The ballot resulted in the election of W. H. Hassett, the vote standing as follows: Shierhold 2, Hassett 3.

C. S. Mead, James Garrett and H. S. Wilson were the applicants voted on for engineer of the court-house. C. S. Mead was elected by one vote, J. H. Garrett receiving two.

John Miller, W. J. Houser and Herman Shierhold were the applicants for the position of assistant janitor. The vote resulted in the election of Mr. Shierhold.

The salary of chief janitor was reduced to \$60, and that of the assistant was fixed at \$50.

The applicants were read for appointment to the position of superintendent of the county farm: M. Speegle, Geo. Boyd, Wm. P. Van Winkle, C. W. Hawkins and A. K. Bell. Mr. Van Winkle, the present incumbent, was elected by the following vote: Bell 1, Boyd 1, Van Winkle 3.

M. Dunn and W. Farley were the only applicants for the position of county gardener, and the former was elected.

The salary of the county gardener was reduced from \$83 to \$75 a month.

SATURDAY, Jan. 10th.
On motion of Mr. Mead the voters in the matter of the petition of W. H. McCray and others for a change in the Healdsburg and Cloverdale road, around the Thompson hill, were granted further time in which to report.

The sum of \$20 was ordered transferred from the general road fund to the Redwood road district fund.

On motion of Mr. Cady the following reports were received and placed on file: Dr. M. Shearer, county physician; E. A. Rogers, Secretary County Horticultural Commissioners; L. Breitenbach, jailer; W. P. Van Winkle, Superintendent county farm; pound-masters, L. W. Ridenhour, C. Gibson, W. Warren, W. Mather, J. R. Banks; justices of the peace, H. Crocker, A. Shane, Marshal Florence, J. Coffman, James Coleman, W. Cunningham, J. M. Cheney, L. L. Jewett, J. Benson, J. Zane, John Price, J. Brown, W. Seawell, O. T. Baldwin, J. T. Hoadley, M. Whallon.

A warrant was ordered drawn in favor of Sam Varner, roadoverseer of Redwood township, for \$20, in payment of a back bill.

The reports of D. C. Knowles, roadoverseer of Ocean road district, and of Thomas Furlong, roadoverseer of Bodega district, were approved and placed on file.

The report of County Physician Shearer was read and placed on file, after which the Board adjourned.

Rev. T. De Witt Talmage's New "Life of Christ."

A book which is sure to have great popularity and immense sale, both because of its interesting style and its superb illustrations, is "From Manger to Throne," a new life of Christ and a history of Palestine and its people, including Dr. Talmage's account of his famous journey to, through and from the Christ-land. The work which is splendidly printed, contains nearly 700 large-sized pages, 9x11 inches. It is illustrated with more than 400 grand illustrations, among which are accurate copies of nearly 200 of the famous paintings of the old masters, which have long enriched the galleries and cathedrals of Europe, but was never before published in America.

He treats the story of the Savior with great reverence, with unexpected tenderness, there being no straining for effect. The work is a history, and in no way sectarian, and is therefore one which every Christian may read with advantage.

It will do good, instruct and entertain—three things so few writers accomplish in a single volume.

In speaking of the work, the New York Herald predicts a sale of a million copies for the first year. The book will be sold only by subscription and agents are wanted, to whom liberal terms are offered.

The well-known and enterprising publishers, the Pacific Publishing Co., 1236 Market Street, San Francisco, are the sole general agents for the Pacific Coast.

We call attention to their advertisement in another column.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of MAGGIE McDONELL, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Maggie McDowell, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the late residence of the said deceased on Broadway street in the town of Sonoma, or at the law office of Wm. E. McConnell in the "Kohl" building in Santa Rosa, the same being my place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the county of Sonoma, State of California.

MRS. M. J. CHURCH, Administrator of the estate of Maggie McDowell, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of JOHN TIVNEN, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Executor of the will of the said John Tivnen, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executor, at his place of residence, one-third of a mile west from the plaza in the town of Sonoma, in Sonoma county, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

DAVID CALLOWAY, Executor of the estate of John Tivnen, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of FRANK B. WEILER, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Frank B. Weiler, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his residence in the Valley of Sonoma, in Sonoma county, or at the law office of Wm. E. McConnell in the "Kohl" building on Exchange avenue in the city of Santa Rosa in said county, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

H. C. CULBERTSON, Administrator of the estate of Frank B. Weiler, deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, Cal., December 13, 1890.

Bob Ingersoll and many other people believe there is no hell, but if the present legislature, elected as it was upon promises of retrenchment and reform, votes \$300,000 to the World's Fair at Chicago, as proposed by a certain bill, its members will believe there is a hell when they return to the bosoms of their outraged constituents.—Petaluma Imprint.

THOMSON—Near Sonoma, Jan. 14, 1891. To the wife of E. P. Thomson, a son.

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The business placed on the books of the companies by their late respected agent

MR. JOHN TIVNEN will receive careful attention at my hands on expiration, and a renewal of the same is respectfully solicited.

D. H. TWING.

Sonoma, Cal., Nov. 25, 1890.

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The City of London with capital of \$10,000,000.

—ALSO— Sun Insurance Company of California. The combined assets in cash of these companies represent \$33,205,567. The companies that are represented by me pay all losses promptly, not waiting the usual 60 days, nor do they deduct from the amount insured upon grounds of depreciation in value of property insured. With these solid facts before you, I, with confidence, solicit a share of your Insurance business.

Respectfully yours, ALLEN A. CONVERSE, Insurance Agent.

(Successor to John Tivnen.)

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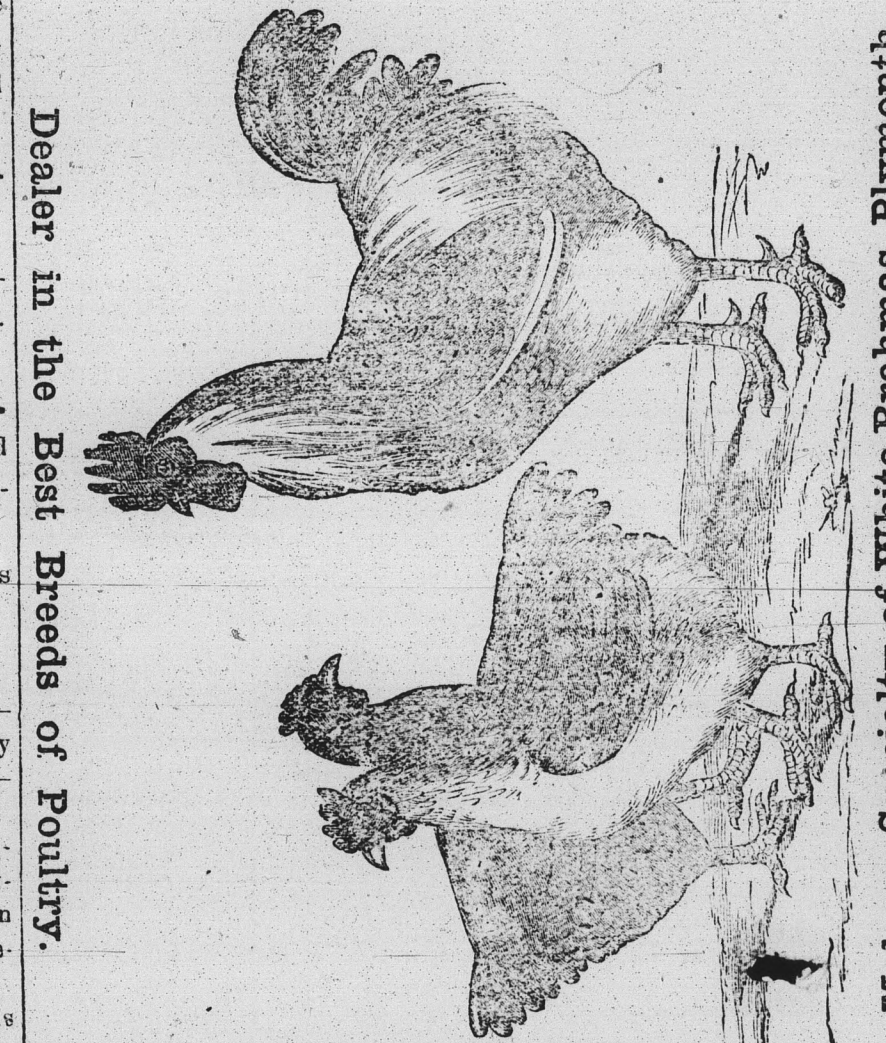
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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Star flour at Weyl's. The best and cheapest.

Go to S. Shockey's for fine fresh groceries.

For the best and cheapest groceries go to Weyl's.

Go to H. Weyl's for Star flour. The best in the market.

Schocken always has on hand fresh groceries.

The Agua Caliente Hotel and saloon are closed for the season.

The Sonoma Valley Bank's new building is being painted a handsome red.

One dollar a year will cover your doctor bill if you take Simmons Liver Regulator.

"Just a plain country dance," N. S. G. W., at Union Hall, Monday, February 23d.

All kinds of crockery, glassware, hardware and blockmakers tools sold cheap for cash at Shockey's.

J. Chauvet of Glen Ellen has on hand at the present time over 100,000 gallons of the finest Sonoma Valley wine.

John Loumbos has planted out this season quite a number of resistant vines on his farm a few miles from town.

Chas. McHarvey has carpenters at work this week moving back his fence in front of his property on Napa street.

Shockey has the largest store in Sonoma and keeps on hand a fine supply of dry goods, clothing and gent's furnishing goods.

The Native Sons will celebrate Washington's birthday by an entertainment and dance, to be given at Union Hall, Monday evening, February 23d.

The report that Dr. T. M. Leavenworth, formerly of this place, had dropped dead in the streets of San Francisco last Saturday is a canard. The Dr. is still alive and kicking.

A musical and literary entertainment for the benefit of the M. E. church will be given at Union Hall on Friday evening, February 20th. Admission 50 cts.; children half price.

Bear Flag Lodge, No. 97, K. of P. have installed the following officers for the ensuing term: F. Ehrlich, C. C.; E. Mann, V. C.; W. Stone, K. of R. and S.; Otto Wagner, M. of E.; Wm. Trudgen, P. of E.; J. Shiffington, M. of A.

The olive orchard of E. P. Thomson at Agua Caliente, planted out last year, has made a wonderful growth, showing clearly that Sonoma Valley soil is well adapted to the growth of the olive. It is a wonder that our farmers don't plant more of these trees.

H. N. Krager, well known to the residents of this valley, has opened a saloon in the Frank Veiler building at Agua Caliente. It is a bright and neat roadside resort and a great accommodation to the traveling public who desire to water their horses or quench the thirst of the inner man.

Cheap for Cash—For sale at Butter's, Agua Caliente—A good express wagon, open buggy, new and second hand harness, saddles, bridles, halters, etc., stoves. Also furniture, beds and bedding. Best curled hair mattresses made to order. Staple groceries and general merchandise.

The new school house at Glen Ellen is quite an ornament to that thriving town. It is located on a hill overlooking the Mervyn Hotel and is 40x50 feet in size, has a fine organ and a clear toned bell hung in the tower above. The daily attendance is 25 scholars, all bright and interesting children. The people of Glen Ellen may well feel proud of their school.

The steel ballyards for the Bear Flag pole were placed in position last Wednesday. The flagstaff also received a new coat of white paint. The work was done under the supervision of D. D. Davison, President of the Pioneer Society of Sonoma and Marin counties, the funds for the same having been raised by that gentleman through public subscription.

Henry Coops, the popular dispenser of wines, liquors and cigars at Glen Ellen, reports business brisk in that enterprising burg. Mr. Coops, since going into business in Glen Ellen less than two years ago, has built up an excellent trade and now runs one of the most popular saloons in the place. Pleasant and affable and attentive to his guests no one thinks of giving him the go-by when passing through the town.

The gymnastic exhibition and dance will take place to-night at Union Hall, Sonoma. The members of the Athenaeum Athletic Club have decided to make it as pleasant as possible for all those who attend. Come early to secure good seats. This exhibition promises to be the best ever given outside of San Francisco. The double bar act by Messrs. Leando and Stack will alone astonish the ladies. Mr. Ben Bogner will of course amuse the juveniles in his funny clown act. Mr. Lou Hinz will swing silver Indian clubs to music. Messrs. Clement and John Schuster and Mr. Boulo will exhibit the parallel bars in style. The other gentlemen of the club will box, wrestle and amuse those present to their heart's content.

"THUNDER-MOUTH."

A Sonoma Boy on the Indian Frontier. Geo. Hein, who left Sonoma a couple years ago and enlisted in the United States army as a musician in the First Regiment Band stationed at Angel Island, is now at the Pine Ridge Agency, the seat of the Indian War, where the First Regiment Band was ordered several weeks ago. The instrument played by Mr. Hein is an immense brass horn and would attract attention anywhere. A few days after the arrival of the band at the Pine Ridge Agency, where the United States troops were massed together with a large number of friendly Indians, the band serenaded General Miles and staff. It was the first time in their lives that the Indians had heard martial music and their amazement knew no bounds. But what took their eyes most of all was the young fellow that played the big brass horn. He was a wonderful personage in their eyes and it did not take long to give him a name, and Geo. Hein is now known among the Indians, both hostile and friendly, in and around the Pine Ridge Agency as "Thunder-Mouth." Mr. Hein is a brother of Jo. and Charley Hein of this valley.

Sam Agnew's Little Mishap.

On Thursday last week Sam Agnew met with a very painful accident which cost him the middle finger of the right hand. He was sowing grain with a seed-sower when by some mischance the severed member was caught in the chain of the machine and cut off as clean as if done with a surgeon's knife. Singular to relate the wound did not commence to bleed until nearly half an hour after the accident, but when the hemorrhage did start in the flow of blood was so copious that Mr. Agnew had to hasten into town and secure the services of a physician, also he stopped the flow of blood and dressed the wounded finger, and the next morning Sam came up smiling for another round with the seed-sower, and notwithstanding he was minus one digit succeeded in sowing twenty acres to grain between sunrise and sunset. The only way to down Sam is to chop his head off.

Town Improvements.

The mildness of the present winter has enabled the City Trustees to do a great deal of street work the past two months. First-street West between Weyl's corner and the railway depot, has been repaved from one of the worst streets in town and is now one of the best. First-street East south of Napa street has also been graded. Broadway, in front of Trustee Litzius' property, has likewise received attention. At the present time, owing to a wise amendment made by H. Laux, Spain street is being graded.

Mrs. Robert Johnson's Donation.

Now that the Plaza grounds are in fine condition for plowing and planting it is the intention of the City Trustees to make use of the money donated by Mrs. Robert C. Johnson in preparing the ground and planting trees in that part of the Plaza lately occupied by the railway company as a reservation. It was for this purpose the money was donated to the city, and the sooner the work is commenced the better, as the season will never be more favorable for tree-planting.

New Bakery and General Merchandise Store.

The attention of readers is called to the new advertisement of F. Manfredini & Co., which appears this week in these columns. This firm have recently established an Italian bakery in connection with their store, and are prepared to serve first-class bread fresh every day. They also keep on hand a fine assortment of fresh groceries, clothing, boots and shoes and everything usually found in a general merchandise store.

The Rising Generation.

August Rouquie, age nine years, and Louis Cerles, age ten, residing near Vineyard Station, having each received \$1.25 as a Christmas present, like sensible boys that they are, on Saturday last pooled their money and subscribed for the Index-Tribune for one year in advance. If these boys do not become successful business men when they reach manhood's estate we are not prophetic.

The Home for Feeble-Minded.

Work on the new State buildings for a home for feeble-minded children is progressing rapidly. Already one of the two-story buildings has the roof on and part of the main building has reached the second story. A large force of men are engaged in pushing the work ahead.

Sonoma Poultry Yards.

Farmers desirous of producing fine poultry and eggs for hatching should read the advertisement of J. S. McClemmy, proprietor of Sonoma Poultry Yards, which appears in another column. His poultry is the finest and healthiest in this valley.

No harm ever done by the use of Simmons Liver Regulator.

GLEN ELLEN.

The Picturesque Little Town Coming to the Front.

There is probably no town in this State that is located in a more lovely and picturesque spot than our sister town of Glen Ellen. Surrounding on all sides with beautiful mountain scenery and with a clear and sparkling trout stream, fringed with pepperwood and other trees, running right through the heart of the town, there is a certain fascination about the place that is hard to describe. The water and drainage of the town site, which for the most part is owned by Mr. J. Chauvet, is most excellent. Lately Glen Ellen has assumed a lively business air owing to the building of the Home for Feeble Minded Children, in the construction of which a large number of workmen are employed.

On the occasion of a recent visit to the town we found everybody in good humor and business of all kinds lively.

C. J. Poppe, postmaster and pioneer merchant of the town, has his hands full waiting on customers and the patrons of his office.

C. O. Borman, one of the leading merchants, reports business brisk. He has lately removed back to his old stand.

A. Harrison of the Mervyn and Chas. Crofoot of the Glen Ellen Hotel, have done an excellent business the past year. These hotels are really a credit to Glen Ellen.

Billy Sobbe, the general freight agent of the San Francisco and North Pacific Railway Company, reports exceptionally good and the business of the road largely on the increase.

G. W. Beatty, proprietor of the Glen Ellen Meat Market, has built up an excellent trade in the upper part of the valley and his shop is one of the fixtures of the town.

Henry Coops, the popular saloon man, is doing a thriving business.

John J. Willson, who has lately opened a saloon in the building formerly occupied by Uncle Small, is also prospering.

Many improvements have been made in the town the past year, notable among which is a fine public school house and a number of private residences.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Take your home paper.

Miss Fannie Ryan is visiting in San Francisco.

E. Gilbert of San Francisco was in town Sunday.

W. B. Pless was in Santa Rosa last Wednesday.

F. Clewe of this place visited Santa Rosa Monday.

Mrs. Capt. Just's was in town Monday visiting friends.

Subscribe for your home paper if you want the local news.

Chas. Just of Glen Ellen visited Petaluma last Monday.

T. J. Ludwig of Santa Rosa was in town one day this week.

Geo. Estes of San Francisco visited friends in Sonoma last week.

T. B. Holmes and wife of El Vano will leave shortly for the East.

W. B. Harrison came up from the city last Sunday to visit his mother.

A. Harrison of the Mervyn Hotel, Glen Ellen, was in the city Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Small of this place went to the Bay City one day this week.

Capt. Ward and wife are guests this week at Hotel Coronado, San Diego.

Robt. Chauvet is a student at the Pacific-Business College, San Francisco.

Mrs. Gabler is up from San Francisco visiting her daughter Mrs. Ed. Wegner.

A little stranger arrived at the home of E. P. Thomson one day this week.

Chas. Crofoot, who has been ill for some time past, is now able to attend to business.

Miss Addie Sydnor and little Clara Tiven were visiting friends in Sonoma this week.

S. Cuicci, who has been very ill for several weeks, is now able to be up and around.

Frank Weems of this place has gone to San Francisco where he will reside in the future.

D. Burris, President of the Sonoma Valley Bank, was in town several days this week.

Mrs. C. M. Mason of San Francisco visited friends in this place several days this week.

E. E. Oulevey and J. Chauvet of Glen Ellen contemplate a trip to France in the near future.

John Schuster of San Francisco, who was born and raised in this place, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Haven of Oakland is sojourning for a short time at her beautiful country residence at Agua Caliente.

Miss Harriet Ehrlich went to the city Thursday morning, where she will remain for several days visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Clara Litzius left Sonoma last week for Tacoma, Washington, where she will take charge of the Western Union Telegraph office at that place. This young lady is an excellent operator.

Entertainment to-night.

GENERAL VALLEJO.

Relief for His Aged Widow and a Tribute to His Memory.

A bill will be introduced the present session of the Legislature by Senator Ragsdale to provide a monument to the memory of the late Gen. Vallejo of this place and also to pension his aged widow, who is bed-ridden and in straitened circumstances. This bill should pass without a dissenting vote. The State owes a debt of gratitude to General Vallejo and it ought to be paid at once.

GLEN ELLEN GOSSIP.

Miss Dows visited Glen Ellen last Friday.

J. Sullivan came up from the city last evening.

Miss Gaines visited Glen Ellen last Saturday.

B. Collins visited the City of Roses this week.

Mr. Simms of Sebastopol is visiting at this place.

We are sorry to learn that little Otto Just's ill.

Miss Lotta Harman visited Glen Ellen this week.

E. E. Oulevey returned Friday evening from San Francisco.

Wm. McPherson Hill visited his farm near this place last Sunday.

Banker Bell's family of San Francisco are wintering at this place.

The social gathering last Saturday evening was enjoyed by all present.

Uncle Small of Sonoma, who has been visiting his daughter Mrs. J. Cowan, returned home Tuesday.

EDENFIELD.

Glen Ellen, Jan. 13, 1891.

Farmers are busy plowing and pruning.

Miss Lucie Cramer is visiting in Santa Rosa.

Harry Weise returned to Santa Cruz last Saturday.

Mrs. E. Cramer visited friends in San Francisco last week.

John Staley and Nick Isman visited Glen Ellen Sunday.

The city people are beginning to visit the country already.

Jack Frost visits this place almost every morning now-a-days.

Dr. H. H. Davis pays Glen Ellen his usual visit every morning.

There are forty picnics looked for this summer at Glen Ellen.

We learn that there has been a telegraph line attached to the depot at Los Guilicos.

Miss Fannie Law, who has been quite ill for some time past, is slowly recovering.

Mr. Editor, you will be paid a big reward if you will divulge the whereabouts of "Green Country Boy."

Hon. J. K. Luttrell had so far recovered as to visit the county seat in company with his wife last Friday.

We are pleased to learn that our friend Morley Bones, who for the past three years has been in Alaska, has returned home again.

We are sorry to learn that another one of Mr. Beatty's children has taken the diphtheria. We hope the rest may escape the terrible disease.

YOUNG AMERICA.

Glen Ellen, Jan. 14, 1891.

Pleasant to the taste and readily taken is Simmons Liver Regulator.

SNELLVILLE SHORT SHOTS.

Miss Flora Vollmar is visiting in San Francisco.

Mrs. P. F. McCarthy visited the metropolis last Monday.

Wm. Merriam visited his family in Shellville last Sunday.

J. W. Stetson and daughter of San Francisco visited friends here this week.

Miss Carrie Green, who has been visiting in San Francisco for several weeks, has returned home.

W. C. Goodman has a force of workmen in his vineyard pruning.

Rev. J. J. Sullivan was making calls in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Vollmar was in Sonoma Wednesday.

Mrs. Robt. Howe returned from a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hammond of Santa Cruz last Tuesday.

A GREEN COUNTRY GIRL.

Shellville, January 16, 1891.

A man who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says:

Toledo, O. Jan. 10, 1887.

Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen:

I have been in the general practice of medicine for more than 40 years, and would say that in all my practice and experience have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with as much confidence of success as I can Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it a great many times and its effect is wonderful, and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a case of Catarrh that it would not cure, if they would take according to directions.

Yours truly,

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Last night the Society of Chosen Friends held a banquet at the Sonoma House. Quite a number were present.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DOUGHERTY, J.—PROBATE.

Estate of H. W. Brunning—Continued to Jan. 19.

Estate of T. Vaughn—Account settled and allowed, petition continued to Jan. 19.

Estate of Louis Bonneau—Order setting aside personal property and order for family allowance of \$75.

Estate of Willis Faught Jr.—Armstrong Faught appointed administrator; bond \$2,500.

Estate of Madison Faught—Armstrong Faught appointed administrator; bond \$200.

Estate of R. Winder and Edward Winder, minors—Order confirming sale of real estate.

Estate of Elizabeth M. Hudson—Continued to Jan. 26.

Estate of Charles E. Wright—Order allowing \$50 attorney's fees for C. S. Farquar.

CRIMINAL AND CIVIL.

J. Lawler vs. Ann Stewart—Continued to Jan. 26.

F. McLarney vs. F. Yordi—Motion to dismiss withdrawn; case set for Jan. 29.

A. Knick vs. E. Holden—Case set for Jan. 28.

E. S. Holden vs. Charles S. Crofoot et al.—Writ of review argued and hearing continued to January 19.

People vs. D. Venaglia—Demurrer overruled and defendant excepts; defendant pleads not guilty, by consent set for February 17.

The People vs. Geo. H. Zimmerman—Continued to Feb. 9th to argue demurrer.

People vs. B. Donovan—Case dismissed on grounds of insufficient evidence.

A. Warrington vs. Sonoma county—Set for Feb. 3.

An order was issued for the annual drawing of jurors by the Supervisors, 500 trial and 100 grand jurors.

DEPARTMENT TWO—CRAWFORD, J.

Luigi Damico vs. D. Casassa—Continued to Jan. 19.

In the matter of H. W. Unge-witter, an insolvent debtor—Petition for order setting apart homestead and personal property.

D. Casassa vs. J. Bailliff—Continued to Jan. 19.

G. Wilkes vs. T. L. Crane—Continued to Jan. 19.

W. Wright vs. G. Pearce, assignee, etc.—Demurrer overruled; five days to answer.

Susan Trimble vs. Patrick Trimble—Continued to Jan. 16.

People vs. G. Cox et al.—Error confessed; amended complaint filed; five days to answer.

Clement Gardner vs. H. Buckmaster et al.—Demurrer overruled; five days to answer.

J. Sargent vs. Abbie Sargent—Set for Jan. 27.

Sonoma and Marin Agricultural Society vs. Susan D. Whitney et al.—Default of defendant entered; order for decree establishing title in plaintiff.

John Sanderson vs. Harriet Sanderson—Demurrer argued and submitted.

J. Armstrong, assignee, vs. Santa Rosa Bank—Demurrer set for hearing Jan. 17.

Catherine Humphries vs. Charles Humphries—Argued and submitted.

D. W. Pitkin vs. Lucy A. Pitkin—Default of defendant entered.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Carlin, Painesville, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her that she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no man's hand could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from the first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, and now does her own housework and is as well as ever was. Free trial bottles of this great Discovery at Ed. Wegner's Drug Store, large bottles 50c. &c.

Happy Hooiers!

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Shellville, Ind., writes "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Liver and Kidney trouble." John Leile, a farmer and stockman, of the same place, says: "I find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine; make me feel like a new man." J. W. Guther, hardware merchant same town, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle at Ed. Wegner's Drug Store."

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